

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Service – Cooperation Department – Allegation of acquisition of disproportionate assets to the known sources of legal income against Sri V.R.K.S.V.Prasada Raju, Joint Registrar (Retd) formerly Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / O.S.D., District Central Cooperative Bank (DCCB) Ltd., Eluru – Departmental action initiated – Enquiry conducted – Inquiry Report communicated – Written Statement of defence submitted – Examined – Show Cause Notice issued – Explanation submitted – Examined – To impose penalty of 2% cut in pension for a period of one year for not filing of Annual Property Returns in time – Orders – Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 174

Dated 12-09-2012.

Read the following:-

1. From the DG, ACB, AP , Hyderabad. Rc.No.117/RCA-EWG/2005, Dt.7.6.2005.
2. From the DG, ACB, AP Hyderabad Rc.No.117/RCA-EWG/2005, Dt. 31.3.2006.
3. Govt. Memo No. 10712/Vig.III/2006-12 , Dt.17.1.2008.
4. The CC & RCS, AP, Hyd. Procs. Rc.No.354/2005-G5, Dt.11.2.2008.
5. Explanation Dated: 3.1.2009 of Sri VRKSV Prasad Raju, the then SCDR / OSD, DCCB Ltd, Eluru.
6. G.O Rt.No.1163, A & C (Vig.III) Dept. Dt.25.8.2010.
7. Inquiry report Lr.No. 14082/2009/1A/AR (CR), Dt. 11.4.2011.
8. The CC & RCS, Hyderabad Memo. No.20354/2005/SG3, Dt.9.4.2011 addressed to Charged Officer.
9. Explanation of the Charged officer, Dt. 6.5.2011
10. From the CC & RCS, Hyderabad Lr.No.20354/2005/ SG3, Dt.23.5.2011.
11. Govt.Memo No. 10712/Vig.III/A2/2005-19 Dt.17.11.2011.
12. From CC & RCS, Hyderabad Rc.No. 20354/2005/SG-3 dt.15.12.2012 along with the explanation of Charged Officer, dt.1/12/2011.
13. Govt. letter No. 10712/Vig.III/2005, Dt. 09.07.2012.
14. From the Secy, APPSC, Hyderabad. LR. No. 1486/rt/3/2012 dt.01.08.2012.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that on credible information that Sri Vegiraju Ramakrishna Surya Varaprasada Raju, formerly Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / O.S.D., District Central Cooperative Bank Ltd , Eluru now Joint Registrar, (Retd) possessed assets disproportionate to the known sources of his income and a case in Cr.No. 6/RCA-ACB-EWG/2005 U/s 13 (2) r/w 13 (1) (e) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 was registered on 07.06.2005 and conducted searches and found the Accused Officer was in possession of assets worth Rs.22,42,386/- disproportionately and in the reference 2nd read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad has furnished final report along with recommendation for sanction of Prosecution.

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2. In the reference 3rd read above, Government after careful consideration of the matter have initiated departmental action against the said Accused Officer and in the reference 4th read above, the Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad has initiated departmental proceedings under Rule 20 of APCS (CC & A) Rules, 1991 and framed draft articles of charges against the Accused Officer. In the reference 5th read above, the Accused Officer has submitted his explanation to the charge memo.

3. In the reference 6th read above, Government have appointed Inquiry Officer and Presenting Officer to conduct inquiry into the allegations against the Accused Officer.

4. In the reference 7th read above, the Inquiry officer has submitted his Inquiry Report and the Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad in the reference 8th read above, has communicated the inquiry report to the Charged Officer. The Charged Officer has submitted his written explanation in the reference 9th read above.

5. In the reference 10th read above, the Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad has furnished the inquiry report submitted by the Inquiry Officer along with the explanation of the Charged Officer and his views to Government for taking further action in the matter.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter and also keeping in view of the report of the Inquiry Officer have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of 5% cut in pension for not filing of Annual Property Returns in time by the Charged Officer i.e. Sri V.R.K.S.V.Prasada Raju, formerly Special Cadre Deputy Registrar / OSD, DCCB Ltd, Eluru now Joint Registrar, (Retd). In the reference 11th read above, the said Charged Officer was directed to show cause as to why the said penalty should not be imposed against him and requested to submit his representation if any within 15 days from the date of receipts of the Memo.

7. In the reference 12th read above, the Commissioner for Cooperation and Registrar of Cooperative Societies, A.P. Hyderabad, has submitted the explanation of Charged Officer. The Charged Officer in his explanation has stated that the Inquiry Officer has also reported that the charge is not proved and made it clear that the Government Servant is absolved of charge leveled against him and requested to drop the proposed action.

8. Government after careful examination of the explanation submitted by the Charged Officer by taking a lenient view have decided to impose a penalty of withholding of 2% cut in pension for a period of one year instead of earlier provisional decision to impose a penalty of withholding 5% cut in pension against Sri. V.R.K.S.V.Prasad Raju, Joint Registrar(Retd) for not filing of Annual Property Returns in time.

9. In the reference 13th read above, the Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission, Hyderabad was consulted on the provisional decision of the Government against the Charged Officer and in turn in the reference 14th read above, the APPSC has tendered their concurrence on the proposal of the Government to impose penalty of withholding of 2% cut in pension against Sri. V.R.K.S.V.Prasada Raju, Joint Registrar (Retd) for a period of one year.

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10. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose the penalty of withholding of 2% cut in pension for a period of one year against Sri. V.R.K.S.V.Prasada Raju, Joint Registrar, (Retd) for not filing of Annual Property Returns in time, under Rule 9 of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

11. The Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

I.Y.R.KRISHNA RAO
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

Sri V.R.KS.V.Prasada Raju, formerly Special Cadre Deputy Registrar/ OSD,
District Central Cooperative Bank Ltd, Eluru, Joint Registrar, (Retd).
(Through the CC & RCS, AP, Hyderabad)

The Commissioner for Cooperation &
Registrar of Cooperative Societies, AP, Hyderabad

Copy to:

The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad,
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Hyderabad .
The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.
The Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad,
The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.
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SECTION OFFICER.